

Amendments To The Specification:

In the English translation document, please delete the term --Description-- at page 1 line 1, before the title.

In the English translation document, please add the paragraph at page 1 line 5, after the title, as follows:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims priority to the European application No. 03002471.5 EP, filed February 5, 2002 under the European Patent Convention and which is incorporated by reference herein in its entirety. --

In the English translation document, please add the section heading at page 1 line 5, after the newly added CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS section, as follows:

--FIELD OF INVENTION--

In the English translation document, please add the section heading at page 1 line 12, after the newly added paragraph, as follows:

--BACKGROUND OF INVENTION--

In the English translation document, please add the section heading at page 5 line 33, as follows:

--SUMMARY OF INVENTION--

In the English translation document, please add the section heading at page 13 line 38, as follows:

--BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS--

In the English translation document, please add the section heading at page 15 line 8, as follows:

--DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF INVENTION--